

Application Serial No. 09/870,143
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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph number 00105 on page 31 with the following amended paragraph:

Authentication service 177 is provided by authentication bundle 138.

Authentication service 177 may be called by other services 170 including portal-page service 178. Authentication service 177 operates to authenticate the identity of user 36, and to determine whether user 36 is authorized is to access a particular service 170 or bundle 140.